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COMMENT: It is imperative that the Tongue River  
Railroad go through.

The financial health of Miles City,  
Montana, and the nation is at stake  
The nation needs our area's high quality  
coal.

The clean-burning coal can be hauled  
more economically via the Tongue River route.

Without it, Burlington Northern Santa Fe  
can not operate through Southern Montana.

They cannot operate on grain alone.

Southern Montana cannot continue to  
survive without it.

When submitting comments please be as specific as possible and substantiate your concerns and recommendations.

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